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TAFT HAS QUIET

PRESIDENT ASKS

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Ex-President Will Wire Direct.

ROME, November 7.—John W. Garrett, secretary of the American embassy, to-day received another dispatch from Messrs. Newland and Tarlton, of Nairobi, friends of Colonel Roosevelt, who are following up their investigation as to the origin of the report of Mr. Roosevelt's illness. The dispatch was as follows:

"Have ascertained that no uncoded telegrams have been dispatched from this protectorate that could be responsible for the Roosevelt rumor, which is obviously untrue. Colonel Roosevelt is away from a rallway. We are trying to communicate with him. He will wire direct.

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of his golf days on the course of the augusta Country Club. The cup was nescribed: "Eighteen holes—88," indicating the President's best record on he local links.

After luncheon the President had an automobile ride, and returned to the some of Major Joseph B. Cumming, his nost, for an afternoon tea arranged by Mrs. Cumming. The day ended with a quiet dinner for twelve at the Cumning home.

Doporative spirit which has evolved our great manufacturing concerns and put the morning at golf and at 1 o'clock will open the Georgia-Carolina Fair, leaving at 2:30 P. M. for Florence. President Taft and Tyrus R. Cobb, the sensational Detroit outfielder and the world's leading bataman, will have a chat at the Country Club here at 11 o'clock to-morrow. Cobb lives in Augusta, where he is the manager for an automobile agency. When Mr. Taft reached the city he was informed that Lobb was here and sent the famous player a message that he would like to talk to him. Captain Archibald to the president Taft, who will visit Norfolk.

NORFOLK, VA. November 7.—All Arrangements for the entertaining of the man. She screamed for help, and a bridge tender threw out life-preservers, but both victims sank. Firemen and police reached the scene soon after the accident reported that the budies.

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DAY IN AUGUSTA

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November 7:—The government, which
bas been investigating the rumors concerning the illness of Ex-president
Roosevelt, while not successful in getting into direct communication with
Colonel Roosevelt and his party, has
at least learned sufficient to satisfy the
officials that there is no truth in these
rumors. The latest dispatch received
to night from officials in the interior
says:
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"NEWLAND AND TARLTON."
Mrs. Rooseveit, who has been greatly wrought up by the reports of lier husband's liness, remained in her npartments throughout the day, but Miss Ethel Rooseveit and Miss Carew took a short drive, accompanied by Commander Andrew T. Long, the American naval attache.

PROSPERITY HAS ARRIVED

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The decision of the Teachers' Association, comprising 100,000 members, to test in the courts the church's right to interfere with the public schools, will be followed by damage suits instituted by the authors of the interdicted text books.

M. Dabourg, Archbishop of Rennes, in a statement just issued, declared that Catholic voters must rally to the protection of the church.

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TO MOTHER CHURCH

Mrs. Stetson Writes Her Own Newspaper Story.

ANSWERS CHARGES OF MR. STRICKLER

Explains Metaphysical Points of Difference Between Mental Malpractice and Self-Defense-Special Meeting to Consider Matter of Upholding Leader.

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NEW YORK, November 7.—Clarence
II. Mackay, president of the Postal
Telegraph Company, returned to New
York to-day, optimistic and enthusisatic over the business outlook in the
West. "The people out there." he said.
"are not watching the horizon for a
return for prosperity; it already has
arrived."

This belief of Mr. Mackay was based,
he said, on observations made by him
during an 8,000-mile trip of inspection
of his company's property.

"Eastern people who do not go
West." said Mr. Mackay, "have no
comprehension of its growth and development. San Francisco is a medern marvel of American courage and
faith, and Seattle of American courage
and skill.

"All the way through the Middle
West signs were equally gratifying. I
mast old in Montana and North Dakota
the farmers have learned the lessen of
modern industrial development through
savings achieved by co-operation, and
are forming great farming companies.

The beneficial character of such agricultural progress cannot be overestimated, 1t fetches the bone and sinew
of the land into harmony with the cooperative spirit which has evolved our
great manufacturing concerns and put
the United States so far ahead of all
other countries that her commercial
supremacy is unquestioned."

AUTO PLUNGES INTO RIVER

Goes Through Open Bridge, and Four

tice and indispensable defense or selfprotection. If I felt sure that I was
being attacked, either ignorantly or
maliciously, by any person, I should fili
my thoughts with the qualities of God,
truth and love, which alone renders
one invincible to whatever proceeds
from the carnal mind.

"From this fortress of defense I
should speak to the person, addressing
him by name, and then speak to the
error which might be operating through
the human mind, for which he has been
an avenue. Then, I should declare that
malicious animal magnetism in all its The within anh.

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MUST PROTECT CHURCH

Catholics Called on to Vote for Favorable Candidates.

PARIS, Nov. 7.—The situation resulting from the French episcopate's declaration of war against the public schools and the effort to mobilize the Catholic voters for the coming general election is rapidly entering an acute stage.

Mgr. Gely ann other bishops have publicly forbidden Catholic parents to gend their children to public schools if Catholic schools are available, and parents everywhere are urged to refuse to allow their children to use the interdicted text books.

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will be an oyster roast, and Friday night there will be a big banquet at one of the hotels, which will close the week of entertainment.

CONSERVES WATER POWER

Revocation of the "Garfield Order" Promotes Government Policy.
WASHINGTON, D. C., November 7.—Secretary of the Interior Ballinger's widely discussed revocation of the famous "Garfield order," withdrawing from settlement a million and a half acres of public lands and the substitution therefor of a withdrawal order withholding from settlement 300,000 acres, to-day was declared by Mr. Ballinger to have been wholly promotive, not subversive, of the conservation policy.

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A lengthy explanation of his cancellation of the Garfield withdrawal was given to the press by Mr. Ballinger, who asserted that it was a logical step in the prosecution of the policy of conserving the water-power on the Federal domain, and one which Mr. Garfield must have taken himself, had he remained in office.

FRONTIERS ARE DEFINED

Treaty Signed by Ministers of Brazil and Uruguny.

RIO DE JANEIRO. November 7.—A treaty has been signed by Baron Islo Branco, Brazilian Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Ruilno Dominguez, Uruguayan minister to Brazil, defining the frontiers between Brazil and Uruguay at Lake Mirim and the Jaguarao River. The new frontier runs into the median line of the lake, instead of along the Uruguayan shore, and along the Thaiwog, or Valley of Jaguarao, instead of along the the southern bank. Uruguay is accorded free navigation between the lake and the ocean by the Brazilian waters of Samgoncalo and the Rio Grande. It also secures several islands. Both parties engage not to fortify the lake or river.

the necessity of getting to the root of the matter by compelling the curricula of normal schools and universities to include such education. In this way, Mrs. Davis contended, the younger gen-

eration would be assured of proper instruction on the subject. Instruction on the subject.

Miss Cora P. Stoddard, of Boston, another American delegate, and secretary of the Scientific Temperance Federation, also devoted to the same subject her address, which was the first paper of the congress. In it she dwelt upon the important relations of such instruction in the schools to national progress. She put forward the benefit derived by a number of countries derived by a number of countries through the adoption of such a plan as proof that it should become univer

United States Exhibits.

The United States, according to the The United States, according to the report, made an unusually good showing in its exhibits. Germany also was to the fore with a particularly fine collection of colored charts showing the effect of alcohol on the body, the family and upon society. Especially effective, it is said, were the stereopticon slides of the National Temperance League of Great Britain.

These stereopticon pictures, the report goes on to show, were largely reproductions of municipal posters that are being issued by the City Councils of about 100 British boroughs. The posters deal in a popular way with

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WAY SAVE HIS LIFE

Scaboard Files Papers Aggregating 8150,000,000 in Norfolk County.

NORFOLK, VA., November 7.—The Seaboard Air Line Rallway, has recorded in the office of the Norfolk county court two mortgages aggregating \$150,000,000. The State taxes on the mortgages were \$8,220.

One of these mortgages is for \$25,-000,000 of 5 per cent, forty-year adjustment gold bonds, and montions the Fidelity Trust Company, of Baitimore, and Van Lear Black as trustees. The other mortgage is for \$125,000,000 refunding bonds, payable fifty years hence, and bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent, with the New York Trust Company and Mortimer N. Buckner, as trustee. It will be necessary to make thirteen recordations in the State of Virginia. The mortgages will have to be recorded 300 times. Alabama is the only other State besides Virginia, in which the company owns property covered by the mortgage, which charges a State tax.

TO STRUGGLE A BLESSING

Rockefeller Says Without It People Would All Be Wesklings.

CLEVELAND, O., November 7.—"Often I meet nothing but struggle," John D. Rockefeller told the Euclid Avenue Baptist Sunday school to-day. "But I think it is a great blessing. I remember when I first learned to swim in New York sixty years ago, I had to kick, splash and struggle. I have been doing struggling ever since. If we do not have to struggle, we will be weaklings; to be strong we must struggle always."

Rockefeller produced four of his old Sunday school class books, dated 1856, when he was teaching, and two of the scholars, old men now, who were enrolled therein, and told the class about them.

FOUR STUDENTS DEAD

Result of Epidemic Prevailing at Athens

ATHENS, ALA., November 7.—An official statement issued to-day by W. T. Sanders, chairman of the board of trustees of the Athens Female College, which was recently suspended because of an epidemic which was prevalent there states that four of the young women died on Friday. They were:

Miss Florence Brown, of Culiman, secretary of the principal; Miss Nina Word, of Madison; Miss Louise Mc. Wherter, of Gaylesville, and Miss Annie Nichels, of Newhop.

Two of them died at their homes and the others at the college building. The only two previous deaths in the college were over thirty years ago.

The epidemic has been pronounced typhoid fever, but the source of infection has not yet been determined.

Irish Audience Sitred by Optimistic Words of T. P. O'Connor.

NEW YORK, November 7.—Within ten or fifteen years the great landlords of Ireland will have been deposed, and half a million Iriehmen will be lords of their own farms, said T.P. O'Connor, member of Parliament from Liverpool, at a meeting in aid of the Nationalist cause in Ireland, at the Lyric Theatre, ito-night, An enthusiastic audience contributed liberally after hearing Mr. C'Connor tell of the situation.

"After the next election," he said, "we expect to have eighty-three members of Parliament, Whatever combination of parties wins in England, our eighty-three votes will mean the balance of power." He said the Irish people had won nine out of ten things they had started out to win, and expected during the next Parliament to get, in addition to national schools and the university, the boon of home rule.

BIG MORTGAGES RECORDED

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ALL RECORDS ECLIPSED

Dakota, the new battleship of the Dreadnought type, maintained an economical consumption of coal and water. The consumption tests thus far have been in keeping with the remarkable speed shown in her special mile trials.

Up to the present stage the North Dakota is said to have even eclipsed the fine showing of her sister ship the Delaware, but in doing so, the North Dakota sacrificed one life—that of sixteen-year-old John Souden, of Quincy, who died at Portsmouth Naval Hospital last night as the result of injuries received when a boiler tube split open on Friday.

The North Dakota again steamed out to sea just before 10 clock this morning on another twenty-four hour test, at nineteen knots.

ASK TAFT NOT TO INTERFERE

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PANAMA. November 7.—Prominent members of the Nicaraguan colony here to-day sent a cable message to president Tatt asking him. In the thought of the name of humanity and civilization. To requests of President Test asking him. In the non-interference, and that if the United States cannot intervene in Control and States cannot inte

Father Answers Telegrams Without Delay, But Fails to Find His Boy.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch]
DOVER, DEL. November 7.—Harry E. Cox, rushed into the Hotel Richards on yesteriany atternoon, checked his overcoat, left two grips and then disappeared.

Dover from Newport News Wa., with two telegrams, each reading thus:

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"Come to me quickly; answer by telegraph.

(Signed)

"H. E. COX, Richardson Hotel."

The parents came so quickly that the elder Cox stopped not to change his mechanics clothes. But the younger Cox had disappeared, and all Dover could not find him to-day. He is six feet tall, weighs 180 pounds, is twenty-sever years old, has black half and is wearing a brown-black suit and durby hat. He has a brisk, easy walk.